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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
GROUP 1754
PATENT APPLICATION
Attorney Docket No.: Q54488

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Masahiro OHMORI et al.

Appln. No.: 09/579,708

Confirmation No.: 7789

Group Art Unit: 1754

Filed: May 26, 2000

Examiner: S. Bos

For: PEROVSKITE TITANIUM-TYPE COMPOSITE OXIDE PARTICLE AND PRODUCTION
PROCESS THEREOF

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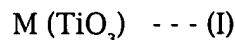
Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 23, 2002, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please enter the following amended claims:

Bo 1. (Twice Amended) A perovskite titanium-containing composite oxide particle having a composition represented by general formula (I), wherein the specific surface area is 28 to about 200 m²/g, the specific surface area diameter D₁ of primary particles defined by formula (II) is about 10 to 50 nm, and a D₂/D₁ ratio of the average particle size D₂ of secondary particles to D₁ is about 1 to about 10:



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